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READ—the following papers :—

G.O. Ms. No. 59, Firka Development, dated 9th December 1947.

Government Memorandum No. 1095, F.D. III/48-3, dated 25th March 1948.

Government Memorandum No. 1240, F.D. III/48-1, dated 14th April 1948.

Letter from the Chief Engineer (Highways), dated 31st August 1948, No. 1332-R/48 C.R.

Letter from the Chief Engineer (Highways), dated 15th October 1948, No. 1583/R/48, C.R.

Order—No. 330, Firka Development, dated 23rd March 1949.

In modification of the orders issued in Government Memorandum No. 1240, F.D. III/48-1, dated 14th April 1948, the Government hereby authorize all Collectors to sanction from the allotment of their discretionary grants (for expenditure on Firka Development schemes) half the cost of battery-operated radio sets (including the cost of installation) not exceeding Rs. 500 (Rupees five hundered only) in each case to villages in the 34 selected firkas and centres. The other half of the cost of the battery-operated radio sets (including installation

charges) and the maintenance charges in full, should be met by the minor panchayat boards, grama and seva sangams, private institutions, etc., situated in the selected areas concerned.

2. The Collectors are directed to make necessary arrangements with the Radio Engineer, Kilpauk, Madras, for the purchase of the battery-operated radio sets required. The rules for the maintenance of the battery-operated radio sets by the minor panchayat boards, private institutions, Grama Seva Sangams, etc., in the selected firkas and centres, will be issued in due course.

(By order of His Excellency the Governor)

M. S. Jagannayakulu,
Secretary to Government.

To the Collectors of all districts (except Madras).
" the Chief Engineer (Highways), Madras.
" the Accountant-General, Madras, through Finance Department.
" the Inspector of Municipal Councils and Local Boards, Madras.
" all Special Officers of District Boards.
Copy to the Public Works Department.
" Local Administration Department.

Copy to the Radio Engineer, Kilpauk, Madras.
" the Provincial Firka Development Officer, Madras.
" the Regional Firka Development Officer (North) Eluru West Godavari district.
" the Regional Firka Development Officer (South), Thirumangalam, Mathurai district.
" all Firka Development Officers.
" Firka development I and II Sections.